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SELF-CALIBRATION OF POWER DELIVERY CONTROL TO FIRING RESISTORS

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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(5) PRESENT EXTRA		(6) RATE		(7) ADDITIONAL FEES	
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS			=	0	×	\$18	\$	0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS			=	0	×	\$86	\$	0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM							+	\$280	\$	0
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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S TELEPHONIC INDICATION OF INTENT TO ASSERT A DOUBLE-PATENTING REJECTION

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Sir:

This paper is filed pursuant to telephone conversations between counsel for the Applicants and Examiner Lam S. Nguyen, held August 24 and 25, 2004.

In those conversations, Examiner Nguyen stated that he considered some of the pending claims to be allegedly unpatentable by reason of obviousness type double patenting over US 6,729,707 (Corrigan).

Applicants herewith submit a terminal disclaimer. Any double-patenting rejections of any pending claims are therefore moot. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the double-patenting rejection.

Respectfully submitted,

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